



# YEAR FIVE

**Dereham**  
Church of England  
Junior Academy



## NEW TOPIC: LET BATTLE COMMENCE!

We kicked off our topic this half term by becoming historians to find out more about a mysterious Anglo-Saxon burial at Sutton Hoo. We are going to learn about the Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings; the struggle between them and how they played an important role in the history of the British Isles. During the topic, we will be designing and making a Viking longship and visiting the Time and Tide Museum.

## Viking Art in the style of Cressida Cowell

We drew Viking warriors in the style of Cressida Cowell. We used charcoal and chalk to create this effect. We focused on making our Viking warriors look fierce and frightening.



## Viking Saga Songs

Enter 'Viking Saga Songs BBC' into a Google search and you will be able to sing along with the songs that we are learning and learn more about Viking gods and myths. Year 5 already love Loki the Joker!



## Ukulele

This Spring term, Year 5 will be learning to play the ukulele. We started this week by learning to pluck and strum. We learnt the names of the strings and a song to help us pluck each string in order. We also learnt how to place our finger correctly to strum a C chord.

